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Serial No.: 10/768,936) Group: 1731
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Submitted herewith is a check in the amount of \$130.00 which covers the late Declaration surcharge.

Respectfully submitted,

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